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NEWSLETTER

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Tickets for the Dance Festival at the Parks are going on sale this Monday (10 February). To purchase a ticket for the **3rd March** show you must go to The Parks Leisure Centre. Tickets are **limited**. The children who take part in the dance festival are currently in our dance after school club. Don't miss out!



There are a lot of free events coming up for families to get involved in. These are great ways of seeing what your community has to offer both after school and during the holidays.

Thursday 13th February

Evo Centre (3pm till 5pm) - leaving school at 2:30

The Evo centre is hosting a free family football event with many other activities. There will be free hot dogs and drinks there too. Parents can collect their children from school to attend the event. Mrs Leslie is taking names of who will be attending. Please note that this is not a school event and your child will be your responsibility.

Wednesday 18th March - St John's Church (3pm till 5pm)

This will be a craft and family activity session with music and food to enjoy.

Thursday 23rd April - Daily Mile Day

We are going to be walking to The Parks where a range of activities will be available to participate in. We will then walk back to school.



Please can all parents/carers make sure that children do not cross the car park when coming into school and leaving school. This is very dangerous and we need to ensure that our children are safe at all times.

Dates to remember

Monday 10 February

Tickets on sale for Dance Festival

Thursday 13 February

Collect children at 2.30

Evo Centre (3pm till 5pm)

17 till 21 February

Half term holidays

Thursday 27 February

Year 2 and 4 trip to Cragside

Thursday 5 March

World Book Day

Wednesday 18th March

St John's Church

(3pm till 5pm)

Monday 11 May to

Thursday 14 May

Year 6 SATs

Monday 20 April

Teacher Training Day

Thursday 23rd April

Daily Mile Day



World Book Day this year is on Thursday 5 March. We are going to have a bedtime story theme. All children can come into school wearing pyjamas. Children can also bring a teddy and a favourite bedtime story in to share with the class. At 2.30 we are inviting parents/carers into school to enjoy a hot chocolate and share a story. This is set to be a fabulous day and we are sure that the children will enjoy it.



If your child is in Nursery to Year 6 they would have received a code to access Purple Mash. This program will help your child with their learning experience. Purple Mash covers a range of topics like coding, maths, literacy and many more. To access this please go to <https://www.purplemash.com/sch/percy-ne29>. If you have any problems please come to the office and we will be happy to help.



At Percy Main Primary School we promote healthy eating. Please can parents/ carers be mindful of items that you are giving your child for lunch. For example instead of chocolate bars and chocolate spread sandwiches, an alternative could be ham sandwich, pasta, noodles or salad (cherry tomatoes, carrot sticks, peppers). Some dessert ideas are low fat yoghurt, fruit or popcorn.



We would like to congratulate and welcome Mrs O'Donnell onto our governing body as one of our parent governors. She has some wonderful attributes that will be a great benefit to help our school be the best that it can be.



Our wonderful new library is starting to take shape. The theme of our new library is an enchanted woodland. Today Mrs McKay and her husband have been very busy making our dream into a reality. It is looking amazing and we cannot wait to see the finished product. This will be a very serene environment for our children to relax and pick up a book.



This year the year 6 SATs week will be **Monday 11 May to Thursday 14 May**. Please ensure that you do not book any holidays during this period or in the weeks leading up to this very important time. Thank you!



Today at 14.30 we are having a sale. The Eco club have made leaf art, glass jar planters and recycled plastic planters with Viola seeds in. Come along and have a look. They will sell like hot cakes!!